Dam across Hemavathi River near Gorur.

*Q.—59. **Sri B. HUTCHE GOWDA** (Tumkur District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) when the survey work to divert water from Hemavathi Valley to Shimsha Valley was done ?

(*b*) whether an estimate was prepared to dam Hemavathi at Gorur and give supply of water to Anathi Tank in Channarayapatna and Nonvinkere Tank in Tiptur Taluk and Mallagatta, Turuvekere Kallane tanks in Turuvekere and Marconhalli Reservofr in Kunigal Taluk ?

A.—**The Hon'ble Sri T. MARIAPPA** (Home Minister).—

(*a*) According to a preliminary investigation made during the years 1933 to 1935 it was found that the project to take the Hemavathi waters to irrigate lands lying in Shimsha valley would be prohibitively costly and with no proportionate advantage.

(*b*) An estimate amounting to Rs. 1·75 crores to bring under irrigation an extent of 45,000 acres in Hassan District by constructing a dam across the Hemavathi River near Gorur and drawing channels therefrom was got up during 1933 to 1935. This project was investigated in connection with the preparation of the necessary schemes to develop irrigation over an extent of 110,000 acres in the Cauvery basin as per the Agreement of 1924 between the Governments of Mysore and Madras. According to the Agreement, Mysore could develop this irrigation in addition to the extent of 125,000 under the Krishnarajasgar.

Electric Lift Irrigation in Mysore District.

*Q.—75. **Sri T. C. HONNAPPA** (Mysore District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the extent of lands in Mysore District, that cultivated by the Electric Lift Irrigation, and by whom, with details ;

(*b*) the yield of crops resulting from the above irrigation by electricity during 1949-50 and 1950-51 ?

A.—**The Hon'ble Sri T. MARIAPPA** (Home Minister).—

(*a*) 360 acres.

90 private electric pumps are working. In addition to these, there is a community lift irrigation by electric pumps at Nilasoge, T.-Narsipur Taluk to the extent of 100 acres.

(*b*) About 450 tons of food crops per year.

Non-surrender of Food-grains by large land holders in Kolar District.

*Q.—89. **Sri K. SAMPANGI RAMIAH** (Kolar District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the total demand as per H. S. account from the large holders paying more than Rs. 100 kandayam in the Kolar District for the last three years ; yearwar figures may be given ;

(*b*) the quantities collected from such holders in each year ;

(*c*) whether any action has been taken against any of such holders for not surrendering the grains as per rules ;

(*d*) if not, why not ;

(*e*) whether any prosecution has been launched against any such holder?

A.—**The Hon'ble Sri T. MARIAPPA** (Home Minister).—

	1947-48	*1948-49*	*1949-50*
	In Pallas	*In Pallas*	*In Pallas*
(*a*)	2,520	4,951	12,505
(*b*)	1,418	4,937	11,512

(c) Yes. Action has been taken against one big holder in Kolar Taluk and two in Chintamani Taluk.

(*d*) Does not arise in view of above reply to (c).

(*e*) Yes, in respect of one-case-in Kolar Taluk.